27 November 1968

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

seeking corroboration.

Morning Meeting of 27 November 1968

DD/I noted that Robert Ellsworth, the most recently appointed senior Presidential aide, is not on the President-elect's original clearance list.

DD/I advised that Messrs. Allen and Anderson of the Presidentelect's staff will be visiting Headquarters on 11-12 December and, among other things, are interested in NPIC. The Director agreed to receive the two visitors.

DD/I provided a memorandum on the nuclear proliferation treaty which notes that wide-spread ratification of the treaty is hindered by the stances of both the Germans and the French.

DD/I reported that the memorandum on the general climate toward disarmament discussions should be ready on Friday. The Director asked the DDCI to review the paper and send it to Walt Rostow.

DD/I passed around a chart of the Communist infrastructure in South Vietnam and noted that a handbook is being prepared on the same subject.

Godfrey advised				that a
Western helicopter was	s fired on as it wa	indered ove	r the Ea	st German
border.				
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Godfrey drew att				that the
Soviets are using rada	chaff in Eastern	Europe and	d said th	at we are

D/ONE reported that ONE has a request from State for an Estimate on the prospects for regional security pacts in Asia.

Carver reported that a DIA paper on overhead reconnaissance in Vietnam is essentially a talk-piece and that CIA is now preparing a paper providing a more systematic presentation of the issues and alternatives.

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Maury noted that Ed Bewser, who has replaced John Conway as Executive Director of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, has inquired concerning the significance of the cancellation of the 1969 French nuclear tests.

Maury anticipated that various senators may wish a briefing on the nuclear proliferation treaty in light of White House soundings concerning a special Senate session on the treaty. The Director asked that our briefings be confined to a rundown of what the postures of key countries are concerning the treaty.

Executive Director drew attention to an offbeat Bureau of the Budget Bulletin passing on a request that Government agencies report their research contracts and projects to the Senate Democratic Policy Committee. The Director instructed that the Agency not participate in this exercise.

DDCI briefed on yesterday's SIG meeting.

The Director informed that General Maxwell Taylor has decided not to hear out Sam Adams and has asked _______ to call in Adams to tell him that PFIAB will not deal with his complaints. General Taylor noted that PFIAB should not be regarded as a grievance committee and that the Board in any case sees little merit in Adams' contentions.

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